

118TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# H. R. 7356

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 14, 2024

Mrs. LUNA (for herself and Ms. GREENE of Georgia) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Senators Can Help  
5 Underpin Military Engagement and Readiness Act” or the  
6 “SCHUMER Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. REQUIRING MEMBERS OF CONGRESS ADVOCATING**  
2 **FOR MILITARY SUPPORT FOR UKRAINE TO**  
3 **ENLIST IN ARMED FORCES AND SERVE ON**  
4 **ACTIVE DUTY IN SUPPORT OF CONTINGENCY**  
5 **OPERATIONS.**

6 (a) **REQUIREMENT.**—If a Member of Congress advo-  
7 cates for providing military support for Ukraine, the Mem-  
8 ber—

9 (1) shall enlist in the Army, Navy, Air Force,  
10 Marine Corps, Space Force, or Coast Guard; and

11 (2) shall be assigned for not fewer than 6  
12 months to active duty in support of a contingency  
13 operation.

14 (b) **MEMBER OF CONGRESS DEFINED.**—In this Act,  
15 the term “Member of Congress” means a Senator or a  
16 Representative in, or Delegate or Resident Commissioner  
17 to, the Congress.

18 (c) **CONTINGENCY OPERATION DEFINED.**—In this  
19 Act, the term “contingency operation” means a military  
20 operation that—

21 (1) is designated by the Secretary of Defense as  
22 an operation in which members of the Armed Forces  
23 are or may become involved in military actions, oper-  
24 ations, or hostilities against an enemy of the United  
25 States or against an opposing military force; or

1           (2) results in the call or order to, or retention  
2           on, active duty of members of the uniformed services  
3           under section 688, 12301(a), 12302, 12304,  
4           12304a, 12305, or 12406 of title 10, United States  
5           Code, chapter 13 of such title, section 3713 of title  
6           14, United States Code, or any other provision of  
7           law during a war or during a national emergency de-  
8           clared by the President or Congress.

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